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Applicants : Catherine Tribouley et al.
Application No. : 09/212,270
Filed : December 16, 1998
For : MEMBERS OF TNF AND TNFR FAMILIES

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 2, 1999, please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

B' 4. (Amended) A preparation of antibodies which specifically bind to a protein having an amino acid sequence [selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NOS:1 and 2] of SEQ ID NO:1.

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